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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 18, 2002, Applicants request the entry of the following amendments and remarks into the subject application:

IN THE CLAIMS:

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Please amend claim 1 as follows:

Claim 1. (Once Amended). A dermal cytochrome P450 1A (CYP1A) inhibitor, wherein said dermal CYP1A inhibitor is a compound selected from the group consisting of (-)-epicatechin, (+)-epicatechin, (+)-limonene, 3-phenylpropyl acetate, α -naphthoflavone, apigenin, baicalein, baicalin, β -myrcene, catechin, β -naphthoflavone, cineole, daidzein, daidzin, diosmin, ergosterol, formononetin, gallic acid, genistein, glycyrrhizin, glycyrrhizic acid, hesperetin, hesperidin, isoquercitrin, kaempferol, lauryl alcohol, luteolin, luteolin-7-glycoside, narigin, nordihydroguaiaretic acid, oleanolic acid,